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SON, WHAT'S HAPPENED
TO YOU? YOU'VE GROWN
UP OVERNIGHT FROM A
SUPERBOY INTO A
SUPER-MAN!

YES, DAD, AND
IT'S ALL *YOUR*
FAULT!

Featuring
**"The *FIRST*
SUPERMAN
ROBOT!"**

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REALIZE I'M HOAXING HIM
WITH THIS *SUPERMAN*
ROBOT I BUILT!





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SUPERBOY

The ADVENTURES of

SUPERMAN

WHEN HE WAS A BOY

BAH! MY SON **SUPERBOY** IS HIDING AND USING REMOTE-CONTROLS TO WORK THIS **SUPERMAN ROBOT!** BUT WHEN I BORE THROUGH THE ROBOT'S PLASTIC FACE, IT WILL PROVE HE'S NOT REAL! ER... THE DRILL BROKE! THIS ROBOT MUST BE MADE OF **INDESTRUCTIBLE METAL!**

HOW CAN I EVER CONVINCE DAD KENT I'M NOT A ROBOT? I'M REALLY HIS SON **SUPERBOY** GROWN UP INTO **SUPERMAN!**

SNAP!

PATROLLING SMALLVILLE ONE DAY IS NOT **SUPERBOY...** BUT **SUPERMAN!** HOW CAN THE MAN OF STEEL, WHO LIVES IN FUTURE METROPOLIS, BE BACK IN THE PAST DURING HIS BOYHOOD? THE ANSWER IS SIMPLE IF YOU REMEMBER THAT **SUPERBOY** OFTEN USES A ROBOT SUBSTITUTE OF HIMSELF FOR EMERGENCIES! BUT WE DEFY YOU TO GUESS THE STRANGE TWIST OF FATE THAT RESULTS WHEN **SUPERBOY** BUILDS...

THE FIRST SUPERMAN ROBOT!



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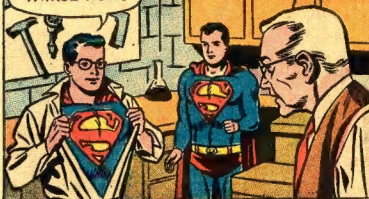
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IN SMALLVILLE ONE DAY IN CLARK KENT'S SECRET BASEMENT WORKSHOP...

I JUST FINISHED BUILDING ANOTHER **SUPERBOY** ROBOT. DAD! BUT IT'S TIME FOR MY DAILY PATROL NOW!

I'LL USE YOUR WORK-SHOP WHILE YOU'RE GONE, SON! I WANT TO TRY OUT MY NEW TOOL-CHEST!



AFTER CLARK CHANGES TO DYNAMIC **SUPERBOY AND LEAVES THROUGH A SECRET TUNNEL...**

DAD, MY RULES ARE THE SAME FOR THAT NEW ROBOT AS FOR PREVIOUS ONES... NEVER USE IT IN MY ABSENCE EXCEPT FOR A GREAT EMERGENCY!

YES, SON!

DRA! I LOST THE KEY TO OPEN THE TOOL-CHEST'S LOCK!



AFTER DAD KENT VAINLY TRIES TO FORCE IT OPEN IN VARIOUS WAYS...

WHAT A RACKET, JONATHAN! WHAT'S WRONG?

NOTHING WORKS! HMM... WHY SHOULD I EXERT MYSELF LIKE THIS? I CAN USE THE NEW **SUPERBOY** ROBOT!



BUT YOU KNOW **SUPERBOY'S** RULES! THIS IS NO EMERGENCY! IF SOMETHING WENT WRONG WITH THE REMOTE-CONTROLS, THE SUPER-ROBOT MIGHT BECOME DANGEROUS!

OH, I KNOW! WHAT I'M DOING! IT'LL ONLY TAKE A MOMENT FOR HIM TO OPEN THE TOOL-CHEST!



MEANWHILE, FLYING ON PATROL, **SUPERBOY SENDS HIS TELESCOPIC VISION HOME, TO CHECK ON HIS NEW ROBOT...**

DID I TURN OFF THE ROBOT'S CONTROLS BEFORE I LEFT?... OMIGOSH, DAD IS USING THE ROBOT! HE'S DISOBEYING MY RULES!

I'LL PUSH THE BUTTON WHICH CONTROLS THE ROBOT'S X-RAY VISION SO THAT IT MELTS THE LOCK! SMART, EH, MARTHA?



CARELESS IS THE WORD, DAD KENT...

LOOK OUT, JONATHAN! HIS EYES ARE AIMING THE WRONG WAY! HIS X-RAY VISION IS BOILING SOME OF CLARK'S CHEMICALS!

ER... SLIGHT ERROR! I'LL PRESS THE BUTTON THAT MAKES HIS HEAD TURN!



As SUPERBOY OBSERVES... THERE! THE ROBOT MELTED THE LOCK OF MY TOOL-CHEST!

DAD'S ERROR WITH MY CHEMICALS MIGHT HAVE BEEN SERIOUS! THAT'S JUST THE REASON I TOLD HIM NEVER TO USE MY ROBOTS EXCEPT FOR REAL EMERGENCIES!

LATER WHEN SUPERBOY RETURNS FROM HIS PATROL...

I MUST TEACH DAD A GOOD LESSON FOR BREAKING THE RULES, EVEN IF HE IS MY FATHER! HE'S LEAVING NOW! I HAVE A PLAN!

I'D BETTER CHECK HOW MY NEW HIRED CLERK IS DOING AT THE STORE!

PRESENTLY... I'LL REMOVE THE OUTER SHELL OF MY **SUPERBOY** ROBOT AND REPLACE IT WITH A **LARGER** SHELL... TO MAKE IT THE SIZE OF A **SUPERMAN** ROBOT! BUT WHAT WILL I LOOK LIKE WHEN I'M GROWN UP? I NEED A MODEL.

AH, I'LL TUNE IN MY TIME TELESCOPE! AT CERTAIN TIMES IT CAN GIVE ME BRIEF GLIMPSES INTO THE FUTURE! LUCKILY, IT'S WORKING ACROSS THE TIME-BARRIER NOW! THERE'S METROPOLIS, WHERE I INTEND TO LIVE WHEN I GROW UP!

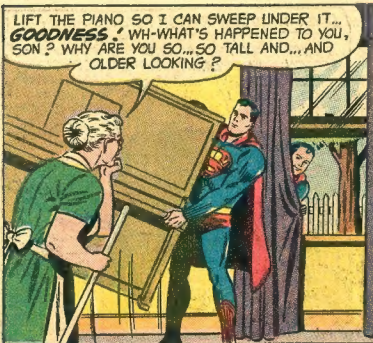
FINALLY SUPERBOY TUNES IN ON HIMSELF AS AN ADULT...

THERE I AM AS **SUPERMAN**. GETTING AN AWARD! NOW TO MOLD PLASTICS AND CHANGE THE ROBOT'S **SUPERBOY** FACE TO A **SUPERMAN** FACE!

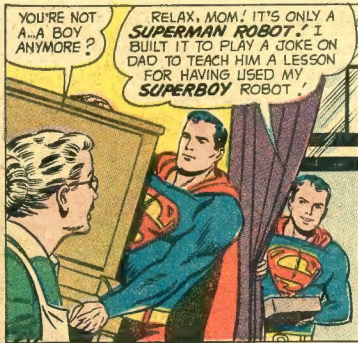
PRESENTLY, WHEN THE FIRST SUPERMAN ROBOT IS FINISHED...

OH, SON, ARE YOU HOME? I HAVE SOME CHORES FOR YOU!

HERE'S MY CHANCE TO TRY IT OUT ON MOM FIRST WHILE DAD'S STILL OUT! IF IT FOOLS HER, IT WILL FOOL HIM! THE ROBOT WILL SPEAK IN A DEEP MANLY VOICE, WITH ITS OWN VOICE BOX.



LIFT THE PIANO SO I CAN SWEEP UNDER IT...
GOODNESS! WH-WHAT'S HAPPENED TO YOU,
SON? WHY ARE YOU SO... SO TALL AND... AND
OLDER LOOKING?



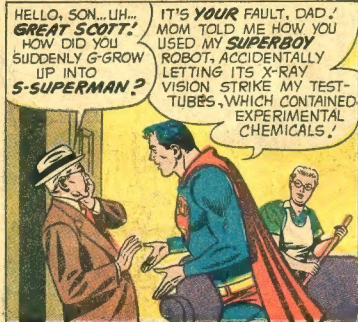
YOU'RE NOT
A...A BOY
ANYMORE?

RELAX, MOM! IT'S ONLY A
SUPERMAN ROBOT. I
BUILT IT TO PLAY A JOKE ON
DAD TO TEACH HIM A LESSON
FOR HAVING USED MY
SUPERBOY ROBOT.

**BUT UNKNOWN TO SUPERBOY, DAD KENT HAS
RETURNED SOONER THAN EXPECTED...**

I'LL PRETEND IT'S DAD'S FAULT
THAT I SUDDENLY GREW INTO
SUPERMAN. I'LL HIDE HERE!

HMM--SO
SUPERBOY IS
TRYING TO HOAX
ME, EH? LUCKY
I FOUND OUT! I'LL
ACT AS IF I DIDN'T
KNOW OF HIS PLAN!



HELLO, SON... UH...
GREAT SCOTT!
HOW DID YOU
SUDDENLY G-GROW
UP INTO
S-SUPERMAN?

IT'S **YOUR** FAULT, DAD!
MOM TOLD ME HOW YOU
USED MY **SUPERBOY**
ROBOT, ACCIDENTALLY
LETTING ITS X-RAY
VISION STRIKE MY TEST-
TUBES, WHICH CONTAINED
EXPERIMENTAL
CHEMICALS!

**IN HIDING, AS SUPERBOY HANDLES THE
ROBOT-SUPERMAN'S VOICE CONTROLS...**

WHEN I RETURNED,
THE CHEMICALS
WERE GIVING OFF
SUPER-RADIATIONS
THAT AGED ME
INTO AN ADULT!

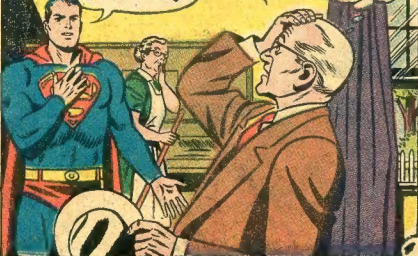
SOMETHING LIKE
THAT **COULD** HAVE
HAPPENED! I'LL
GIVE DAD A GOOD
SCARE SO HE WON'T
BREAK MY ROBOT
RULES AGAIN!



THERE'S NO ANTIDOTE,
DAD! I'LL NEVER BECOME
SUPERBOY AGAIN! YOU
ROBBED ME OF MY
BOYHOOD!

OH, WHAT
HAVE I
DONE!

**BUT NOW
TO PLAY A
JOKE ON
SUPERBOY!**



DAD KENT OPENS A CLOSET AND...

WELL SON, IT'S NO USE CRYING OVER SPILT MILK! SINCE YOU'RE A GROWN MAN NOW, YOU WON'T NEED THESE THINGS ANYMORE! I'LL GIVE THEM AWAY!

GOSH! HE'S...UH...
THROWING
AWAY CLARK'S
FAVORITE
PLAYTHINGS!

I HAD A CHRISTMAS
GIFT WRAPPED IN
ADVANCE, BUT FOR
A **BOY**, NOT A **MAN**!
I'LL GIVE IT ALL
TO CHARITY!

ACTUALLY, I'LL
HIDE THIS IN MY
STORE TILL LATER!
I'LL TEACH
SUPERBOY NOT
TO PLAY TRICKS
ON HIS FATHER!

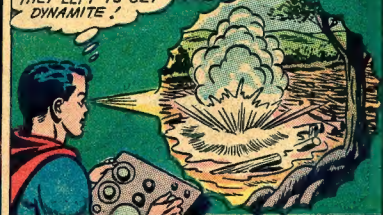
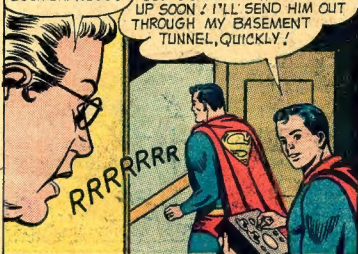


GOODNESS.
SON! YOUR
PLAN
BOOMERANGED!

ER...I'LL CONFESS MY TRICK TO
DAD WHEN HE RETURNS! BUT
THIS ROBOT I HASTILY MADE
SOUNDS LIKE IT MIGHT BLOW
UP SOON! I'LL SEND HIM OUT
THROUGH MY BASEMENT
TUNNEL, QUICKLY!

USING HIS TELESCOPIC VISION **SUPERBOY FINDS
A WAY TO KILL TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE!**

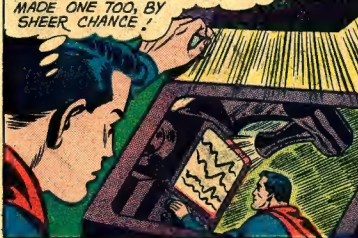
I SPOTTED THAT LOG-JAM IN A RIVER! MY
EXPLODING ROBOT WILL BREAK IT UP,
DOING THE LOGGERS A GOOD TURN!
THEY LEFT TO GET
DYNAMITE!



**THEN, SUPERBOY AMUSES HIMSELF WHILE
WAITING FOR DAD KENT'S RETURN...**

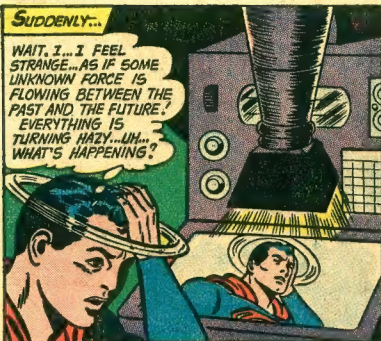
IT'S FUN
TO GET OCCASIONAL GLIMPSES OF MYSELF
IN THE FUTURE, IN MY **TIME TELESCOPE**!
HMM...LOOKS LIKE **SUPERMAN**
MADE ONE TOO, BY
SHEER CHANCE!

GOSH, **SUPERMAN** TUNED IN
ON THE **PAST**! HIS SCREEN SHOWS
ME USING MY SCREEN! WE'RE
STARING AT EACH OTHER ACROSS
THE **TIME-BARRIER**!



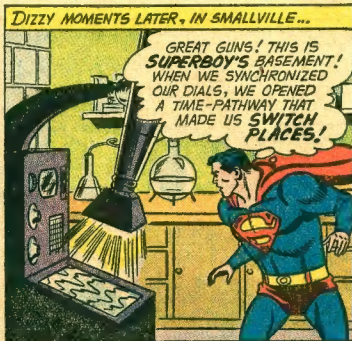
SUDDENLY...

WAIT, I... I FEEL STRANGE... AS IF SOME UNKNOWN FORCE IS FLOWING BETWEEN THE PAST AND THE FUTURE! EVERYTHING IS TURNING MAZY... UH...? WHAT'S HAPPENING?

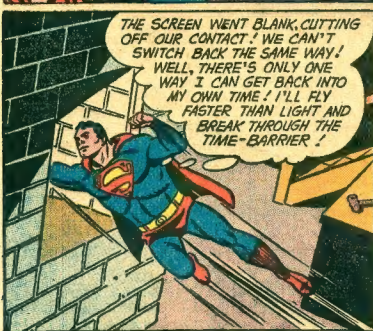


DIZZY MOMENTS LATER, IN SMALLVILLE...

GREAT GUNS! THIS IS SUPERBOY'S BASEMENT! WHEN WE SYNCHRONIZED OUR DIALS, WE OPENED A TIME-PATHWAY THAT MADE US SWITCH PLACES!

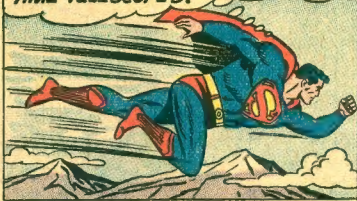


THE SCREEN WENT BLANK, CUTTING OFF OUR CONTACT! WE CAN'T SWITCH BACK THE SAME WAY! WELL, THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY I CAN GET BACK INTO MY OWN TIME! I'LL FLY FASTER THAN LIGHT AND BREAK THROUGH THE TIME-BARRIER!



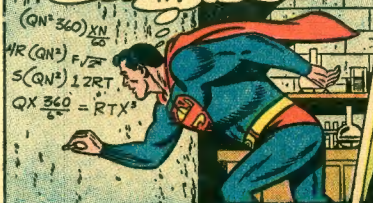
BUT LATER, OUT OF TOWN, WHEN SUPERMAN TRIES TO HURTLE INTO THE FUTURE...

IT... UH... DIDN'T WORK! HIMM... I SEE! I CAN'T RETURN TO METROPOLIS BECAUSE SUPERBOY AND I CAN'T EXIST IN THE SAME PLACE AT THE SAME TIME! WE'LL HAVE TO DEPEND ON THE TIME TELESCOPES!



BACK IN THE KENT HOME, SUPERMAN MAKES SUPER-CALCULATIONS...

THOSE TIME-EQUATIONS SHOW THAT THE TWO TIME TELESCOPES WILL LET US SWITCH BACK BY NIGHTFALL, AND THAT WILL BE THE ONLY CONTACT BETWEEN THE PAST AND THE FUTURE FOR... UH... A YEAR! I MUSTN'T MISS IT!



ANOTHER MYSTERY IS SOLVED BY THE TIME-FORMULA...

THE REASON I DON'T REMEMBER THAT THIS HAPPENED IS BECAUSE WHEN WE SWITCH AGAIN MY MEMORY WILL BE WIPE CLEAN ABOUT MY VISIT TO SMALLVILLE! AND SUPERBOY WILL ALSO FORGET ABOUT BEING IN METROPOLIS!





BUT AS OF NOW I STILL HAVE **SUPERBOY'S** MEMORY OF MY PLAN TO TEACH DAD A LESSON AND...ER...HERE HE IS NOW!

I BROUGHT ALL OF CLARK'S THINGS BACK! IT'S TIME TO END THE GAG! YOU SEE, I KNOW YOU'RE REALLY A **SUPERMAN** ROBOT.



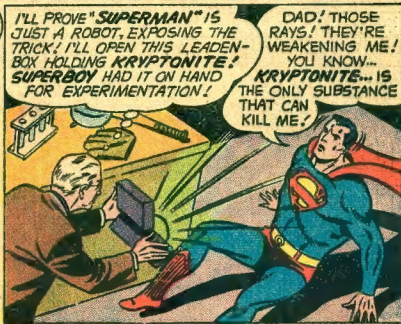
COME OUT OF HIDING, **SUPERBOY**...ER...WHERE ARE YOU, SON?

RIGHT HERE, DAD! I'M THE **REAL SUPERMAN** NOW!



OH, BOSH! YOU'RE JUST A ROBOT AND YOU KNOW IT! **SUPERBOY** IS STILL HIDING SOMEWHERE WORKING THE CONTROL BOX!

I...I CAN'T SHOW DAD THAT **SUPERBOY** IS IN THE FUTURE! THE TIME TELESCOPE'S SCREEN WILL BE BLANK TILL MIDNIGHT!



I'LL PROVE "**SUPERMAN**" IS JUST A ROBOT, EXPOSING THE TRICK! I'LL OPEN THIS LEADEN-BOX HOLDING **KRYPTONITE**! **SUPERBOY** HAD IT ON HAND FOR EXPERIMENTATION!

DAD! THOSE RAYS! THEY'RE WEAKENING ME! YOU KNOW... **KRYPTONITE**... IS THE ONLY SUBSTANCE THAT CAN KILL ME!



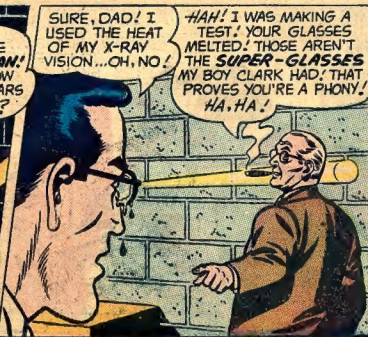
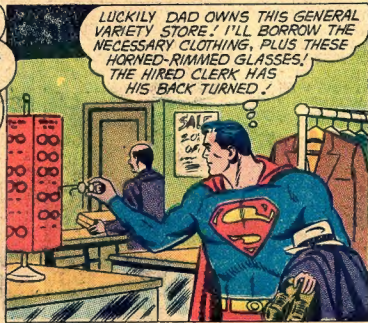
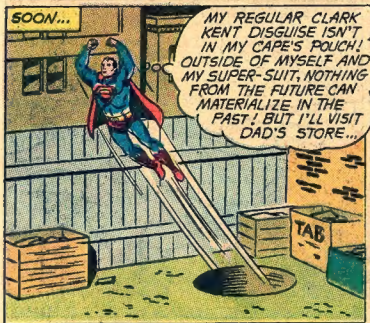
BAH! YOU'RE JUST PRETENDING, OF COURSE, AS **SUPERBOY** ORDERED! BUT IF YOU WANT TO KEEP UP THIS SILLY GAME THERE ARE OTHER WAYS I CAN PROVE YOU'RE A ROBOT!



SHORTLY...

I'LL USE THIS ACETYLENE TORCH! **HMM**...WHY DON'T YOU MELT?

I'M NOT MADE OF METAL, DAD! I'M JUST PLAIN...ER... INVULNERABLE!



NOW LOOK! THERE'S NO EARTHLY REASON FOR **SUPERBOY** TO CARRY ON THIS JOKE! MAYBE YOU'RE DOING IT YOURSELF, FOLLOWING SOME PLAN IN YOUR ROBOT BRAIN! HE'S HAD TROUBLE WITH SOME OF HIS OTHER ROBOTS BEFORE!

OH, OH! DAD'S SUSPICIONS ARE TURNING AGAINST ME. I'VE GOT TO PROVE I'M NOT A SCHEMING ROBOT! THERE'S ONE HOPE!

KRYPTO WAS MY PET DOG WHEN I WAS **SUPERBOY**! HE'S USUALLY ROMPING THROUGH SPACE! I'LL SEND OUT A SUPERSONIC WHISTLE THAT HIS SUPER-HEARING WILL PICK UP!

WHE-WHEET

SOON, AS THE **SUPER-DOG** ANSWERS...

HERE, BOY! YOU KNOW ME, EVEN IF I'M GROWN UP! YOUR SUPER-SCENT WILL TELL YOU I WAS YOUR MASTER **SUPERBOY**... UH... WHY ARE YOU GROWLING AT ME?

GRRRRR

NOW I SEE! THE **ACID** DAD THREW OVER ME BEFORE LEFT SOME FUMES ON MY COSTUME THAT CONFUSED **KRYPTO'S** SUPER-SCENT!

I'VE HAD ENOUGH OF THIS! EVERYTHING PROVES YOU'RE A ROBOT IMPOSTOR!

GRRRRR

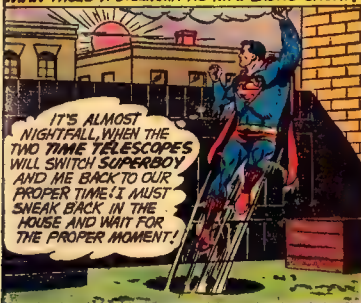
BUT **SUPERBOY** WOULDN'T CARRY THE JOKE **THIS** FAR! YOU MUST BE ACTING ON YOUR OWN! DID YOU TURN AGAINST MY SON? WHERE IS HE?

I...ER... CAN'T EXPLAIN, DAD!

DON'T CALL ME DAD, YOU... YOU METAL MONSTER! YOU'RE **SUPERBOY'S** ENEMY! WHAT HAVE YOU DONE WITH OUR BOY? LEAVE OUR HOUSE THIS INSTANT!

WHAT ELSE CAN I... I DO?

UNABLE TO PROVE HE IS NOT A ROBOT, **SUPERMAN** FACES A DILEMMA AS TIME GROWS SHORT!



IT'S ALMOST NIGHTFALL, WHEN THE TWO **TIME TELESCOPES** WILL SWITCH **SUPERBOY** AND ME BACK TO OUR PROPER TIME! I MUST SNEAK BACK IN THE HOUSE AND WAIT FOR THE PROPER MOMENT!

USING HIS TELESCOPIC VISION...



I CAN FLY INTO THAT EAST WINDOW! THE NEIGHBORS ON THAT SIDE ARE AWAY ON VACATION! I'LL TAKE KENT BY SURPRISE!

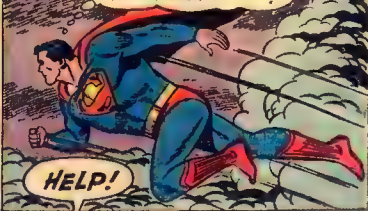
BUT **SUPERMAN** IS TAKEN BY SURPRISE WHEN--

SIC HIM, **KRYPTO!** KEEP THAT **SUPERMAN** ROBOT AWAY!

GREAT SCOTT! DAD MADE **KRYPTO** HIS **SUPER-WATCHDOG**! HE'S USING HIS SUPER-STRENGTH TO KEEP ME OUT OF THE HOUSE!



PRESENTLY... IF **KRYPTO** KEEPS ME AWAY FROM THE **TIME TELESCOPE** PAST NIGHTFALL, I'LL BE TRAPPED IN SMALLVILLE... AND **SUPERBOY** WILL BE STRANDED IN FUTURE METROPOLIS... FOR A YEAR! WAIT... WHAT'S THAT?

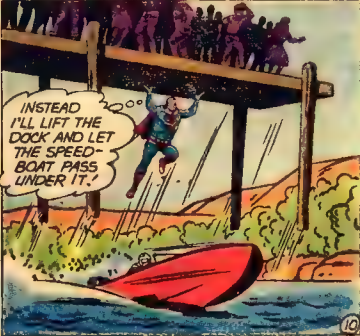
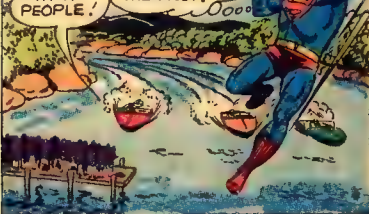


HELP!

IN THE SMALLVILLE RIVER...

I LOST CONTROL! I'LL HIT THE DOCK CROWDED WITH PEOPLE!

A JOB FOR **SUPERBOY**-- GROWN UP THAT IS! BUT IF I STOP THAT SPEEDBOAT THE JAR MIGHT HARM THE PILOT!



INSTEAD I'LL LIFT THE DOCK AND LET THE SPEED-BOAT PASS UNDER IT!

AFTER SUPERMAN PLANTS THE DOCK FIRMLY BACK INTO PLACE!

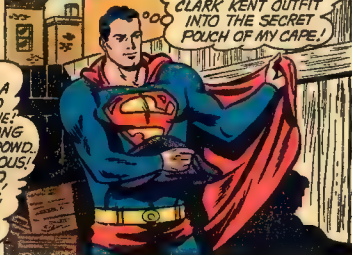
LOOK, IT WAS **SUPERBOY** WHO SAVED US! BUT...BUT SOMEHOW HE LOOKS...UH... **BIGGER!**



THEY ONLY SAW ME AS A SUPER-SPEED FLASH OF BLUE! BUT STILL, LANA LANG IS AMONG THAT CROWD. AND SHE'S SUSPICIOUS! SHE MAY TRY TO FIND ME LATER. IT WOULD ONLY ADD TO MY TROUBLES!

ELSEWHERE, IN SECLUSION! I'LL PLAY SAFE! LUCKILY, WHEN

I CHANGED BEFORE AT DAD'S HOUSE, I INSTINCTIVELY PUT THIS BORROWED CLARK KENT OUTFIT INTO THE SECRET POUCH OF MY CAPE!



AFTER CHANGING...

THE HEAT OF MY X-RAY VISION PREVIOUSLY MELTED THE LENSES OF THESE GLASSES! BUT I'LL TAKE A CHANCE THAT NOBODY NOTICES THE FRAMES ARE EMPTY!



LATER, MEETING LANA...

I CAN'T RESIST HAVING A LITTLE FUN WITH LANA...

PARDON ME, MISS! I'M A STRANGER IN TOWN! CAN YOU DIRECT ME TO THE ZOO?

FIVE BLOCKS THAT WAY, SIR!



GOSH! YOU LOOK STRANGELY FAMILIAR, SOMEHOW! HAVE WE...ER... EVER MET BEFORE?

WHO KNOWS, MISS?

HA, HA! SHE'LL NEVER GUESS SHE MET HER BOY NEIGHBOR, CLARK KENT, AS A GROWN MAN! THIS IS ONE TIME MY SECRET IDENTITY WAS UTTERLY SAFE FROM HER!



BUT SUPERMAN'S AMUSEMENT QUICKLY ENDS AS A FATAL DEADLINE APPROACHES...

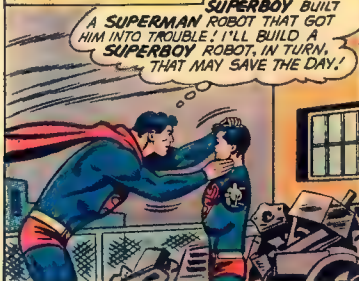
IT'S ALMOST NIGHTFALL! AND I STILL CAN'T GET PAST KRYPTO, THE SUPER-WATCHDOG, TO REACH THE TIME TELESCOPE! WAIT... THAT PILE OF SCRAP METAL GIVES ME AN IDEA!





SWIFTLY, THE MAN OF STEEL UTILIZES HIS AMAZING POWERS TO MOLD THE METAL INTO MANY INTRICATE PARTS...

SUPERBOY BUILT A **SUPERMAN** ROBOT THAT GOT HIM INTO TROUBLE! I'LL BUILD A **SUPERBOY** ROBOT, IN TURN, THAT MAY SAVE THE DAY!



...SOON...

NOW TO MAKE THE ROBOT WHISTLE A SUPERSONIC SIGNAL WHICH WILL SUMMON **KRYPTO!** **KRYPTO** WILL ANSWER IT, THINKING THE **SUPERBOY** ROBOT IS REALLY HIS MASTER!



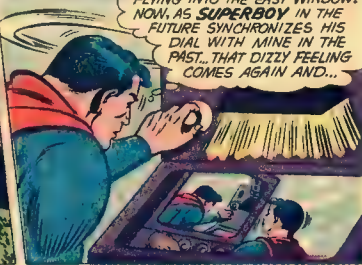
WHEN **KRYPTO** ANSWERS THE WHISTLE...

I THOUGHT THAT WAS MY MASTER, **SUPERBOY**... BUT MY X-RAY VISION NOW SHOWS I WAS TRICKED BY A ROBOT! I'LL SMASH IT AND RUSH BACK TO GUARD THE HOUSE!



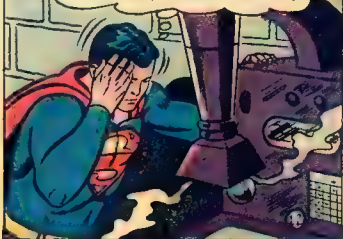
BUT THANKS TO THE RUSE **SUPERMAN** IS ALREADY THERE...

I GOT HERE JUST IN TIME! FLYING INTO THE EAST WINDOW! NOW, AS **SUPERBOY** IN THE FUTURE SYNCHRONIZES HIS DIAL WITH MINE IN THE PAST... THAT DIZZY FEELING COMES AGAIN AND...



NEXT MOMENT... WHEW! I'M BACK IN SMALLVILLE AND

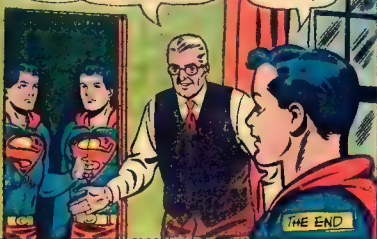
SUPERMAN IS BACK IN THE FUTURE. MY MEMORY OF VISITING METROPOLIS IS FADING AWAY NOW! BUT I CAN EXPLAIN THE REST TO MOM AND DAD.



AFTER THE STORY IS TOLD...

SON, MY USING ONE OF YOUR ROBOTS **DID** CAUSE TROUBLE ...IN A ROUNDABOUT WAY! I LEARNED MY LESSON.

I THINK WE...ER... **BOTH** DID, DAD! I WON'T PULL ANOTHER HOAX LIKE THAT ON YOU AGAIN!



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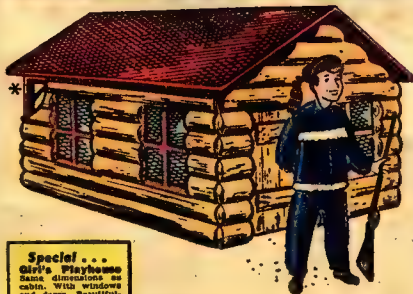
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LOOK AT
THAT!

AND..

WHAT'S THE
MATTER?

BAW

SOMEONE
STOLE MY
HAT, UNCLE
SHORTY!

THE NERVE, STEALING
A KID'S HAT! I'LL
GET IT BACK. SHOW
ME WHO TOOK IT!

HE DID!

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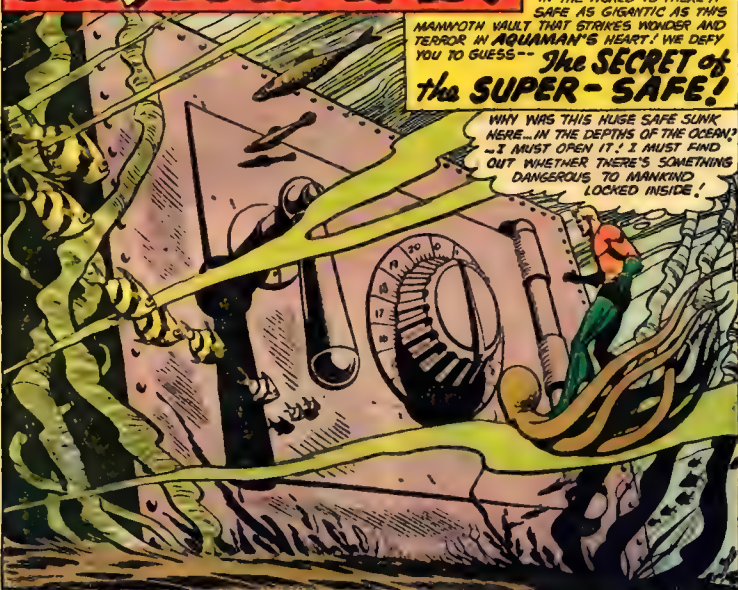
AQUAMAN

IN THE OCEAN FLOOR RESTS A FORBIDDING, FRIGHTENING OBJECT AS HUGE AS A HOUSE. NOWHERE IN THE WORLD IS THERE A SAFE AS GIGANTIC AS THIS

MANMOUTH VAULT THAT STRIKES WONDER AND TERROR IN AQUAMAN'S HEART! WE DEFY YOU TO GUESS--

The SECRET of the SUPER-SAFE!

WHY WAS THIS HUGE SAFE SUNK HERE... IN THE DEPTHS OF THE OCEAN? --I MUST OPEN IT! I MUST FIND OUT WHETHER THERE'S SOMETHING DANGEROUS TO MANKIND LOCKED INSIDE!



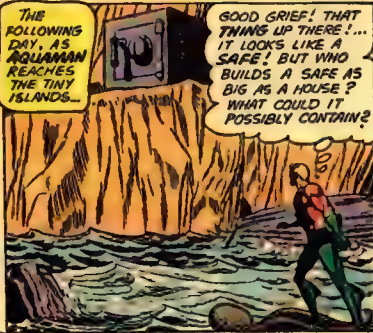
ONE DAY, AS AQUAMAN SPOTS A NUMBER OF FLOATING BOTTLES WHILE MAKING HIS SEA PATROL WITH HIS FISH FRIENDS...

HMM...THE SAME MESSAGE IS INSIDE ALL OF THEM! A MR. ROXROYD, WHO LIVES ON A LONELY ISLAND, BEGS FOR MY HELP! OKAY! HE'LL GET IT!



THE FOLLOWING DAY, AS AQUAMAN REACHES THE TINY ISLANDS...

GOOD GRIEF! THAT THING UP THERE!... IT LOOKS LIKE A SAFE! BUT WHO BUILDS A SAFE AS BIG AS A HOUSE? WHAT COULD IT POSSIBLY CONTAIN?



PRESENTLY, AS **AQUAMAN** MEETS **MR. ROX-ROYD**...

YES, **AQUAMAN**! I BUILT IT! BUT MY PROBLEM IS TRANSPORTING IT TO A CERTAIN SPOT 20 MILES OUT AT SEA AND LETTING IT SINK TO THE BOTTOM!

WHAT'S INSIDE IT?

...OR SOMETHING DANGEROUS THAT MIGHT DOOM THE WORLD? SUPPOSE I ASKED YOU TO SUBMIT TO A LIE DETECTOR TEST?

I'D TAKE THE TEST GLADLY! BUT WHERE CAN YOU **GET** A LIE DETECTOR ON THIS BARREN ISLAND?

TEN MINUTES LATER...

AND TO ANSWER YOUR FINAL QUESTION, I SWEAR THERE'S NOTHING HARMFUL OR STOLEN INSIDE THAT SAFE!

TOPO TELLS ME YOU'RE SPEAKING THE TRUTH, **ROXROYD**! SO I'LL FETCH MY SEA CREATURES TO MOVE THE SAFE! I'LL BE BACK BY NIGHTFALL!

THAT'S **MY** BUSINESS! BUT I'LL GIVE \$20,000 TO YOUR FAVORITE CHARITY IF YOU CAN SHIP THIS HUGE LEAD VAULT TO WHERE I WANT IT DROPPED...AND NO QUESTIONS ASKED!

BUT HOW DO I KNOW THERE'S NOTHING STOLEN INSIDE IT?...

SHORTLY AFTER, AS **AQUAMAN** SUMMONS **TOPO**, HIS PET OCTOPUS...

WITH **TOPO**'S SENSITIVE TENTACLES WRAPPED AROUND YOUR BODY, YOUR SLIGHTEST TREMOR WILL BE FELT BY **TOPO** AND TRANSMITTED BY SEA-CREATURE TELEPATHY TO ME!

I-I UNDERSTAND! ASK YOUR QUESTIONS!

THAT EVENING, A STRANGE SIGHT APPEARS OFF THE ISLAND...

THIS FLAT-TOP GLACIER WILL FIT RIGHT UNDER THE LIP OF THE CLIFF SHELF ON WHICH THE SAFE IS RESTING!

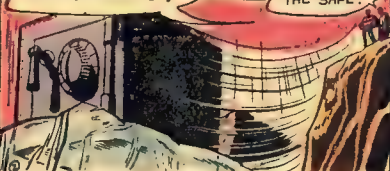
PRESENTLY, AS **AQUAMAN** PUTS A TEAM OF HIS OCTOPUS PALS TO WORK...



THUS, WHEN THE SUN RISES...

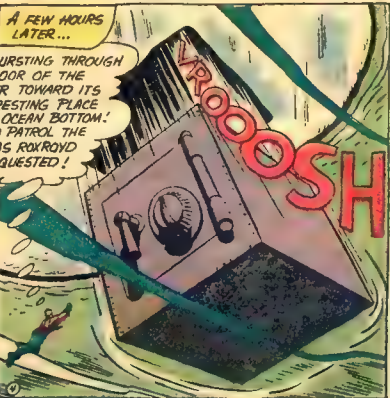
THERE GOES THE SAFE! IT'S LANDING ON TOP OF THE GLACIER! NOW MY WHALES WILL PUSH IT TWENTY MILES TO THE EXACT SPOT YOU DESIGNATED!

AMAZING! REMEMBER THOUGH, YOU MUST PATROL THE BURIAL SPOT FOR A WEEK TO DRIVE OFF ANY RAIDERS WHO MIGHT WANT TO BRING UP THE SAFE!



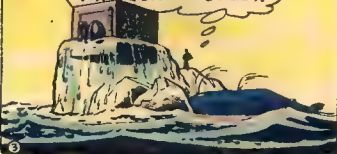
A FEW HOURS LATER...

IT'S BURSTING THROUGH THE FLOOR OF THE GLACIER TOWARD ITS FINAL RESTING PLACE ON THE OCEAN BOTTOM! NOW TO PATROL THE SAFE, AS ROXROYD REQUESTED!



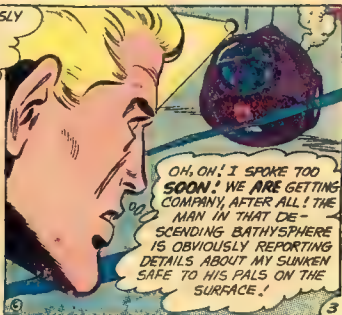
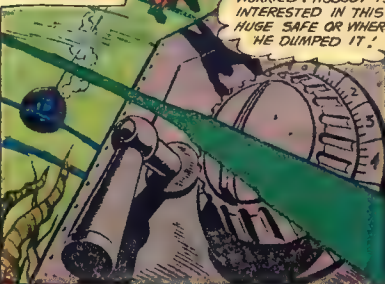
OUT AT SEA! AT HIGH NOON...

BY THE TIME WE REACH THE BURIAL SPOT, THE HOT SUN AND THE TERRIFIC WEIGHT OF THE HUGE SAFE WILL MELT A PATH RIGHT THROUGH THE GLACIER!



AS THE DAY PASSES WITHOUT INCIDENT...

LOOKS LIKE ROXROYD WAS NEEDLESSLY WORRIED! NOBODY IS INTERESTED IN THIS HUGE SAFE OR WHERE HE DUMPED IT!



OH, OH! I SPOKE TOO SOON! WE ARE GOING TO COMPANY, AFTER ALL! THE MAN IN THAT DESCENDING BATHYS-PHERE IS OBVIOUSLY REPORTING DETAILS ABOUT MY SUNKEN SAFE TO HIS PALS ON THE SURFACE!

As **AQUAMAN** GIVES ORDERS TO A SQUAD OF SWORDFISH...

WHOOOOOSH

THE OCCUPANT OF THAT DIVING BELL WILL THINK HE'S INSIDE A BOUNCING BALL... HE'LL BE RETURNED SO QUICKLY TO HIS FRIENDS!

SOON, ON THE SURFACE...

NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS, **AQUAMAN!** THE OCEAN IS FREE! NOT ONLY FOR ME! FOR ANYBODY!

ALL RIGHT! LET'S HAVE THE EXPLANATION! WHAT WERE YOU DOING DOWN THERE?

IS THERE A LAW THAT SAYS A MAN CAN'T LOOK AT THAT...ER...**SUPER-SAFE** BELOW?

GASP!...GOOD GRIEF! I JUST NOTICED IT! ANOTHER SET OF LINES! THERE'S **SOMEONE ELSE BELOW!**

As **AQUAMAN** HASTILY DIVES OVERBOARD...

I SEE THEIR SCHEME! THEY USED THE BATHING SPHERE TO TAKE MY ATTENTION AWAY FROM THE DIVER!...W-WAIT! THAT STUPID FOOL IS TRYING TO BLOW UP THE SAFE! HE MIGHT SET OFF A SEA-QUAKE AND BE KILLED!

MOMENTS LATER, AS **AQUAMAN** TOWS THE DIVER UPWARD...

I-I OWE ROXROYD AN APOLOGY! HIS FEARS ABOUT UNDERWATER PROWLERS WERE JUSTIFIED! THESE CHARACTER HAVE **BLOWN** HIS SAFE OPEN! THERE MUST BE SOMETHING OF TREMENDOUS VALUE HIDDEN INSIDE!

POO!

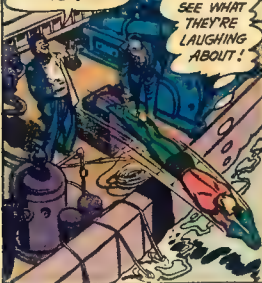
SHORTLY, ABOVE WATER...

WE'RE IN LUCK! THERE WAS NO SEA-QUAKE! NOW TAKE YOUR CHOICE! CLEAR OUT OR MY FISH FRIENDS WILL DRIVE YOU OUT AGAINST YOUR WILL!

CALM DOWN, **AQUAMAN!** WE'RE GOING! BUT THE FINAL LAUGH IS NOT ON US! IT'S ON **YOU!** YOU'VE BEEN **DUPED** BY ROXROYD!

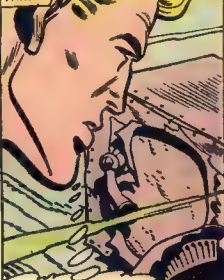


WE WERE GOING TO BLAST OPEN ROXROYD'S SAFE AND GET RICH BY STEALING ITS CONTENTS! BUT ROXROYD MADE FOOLS OF US ALL!



I-I MUST SEE WHAT THEY'RE LAUGHING ABOUT!

AS AQUAMAN DIVES DOWN TO THE BLASTED SUPER-SAFE, AN AMAZING SIGHT GREET'S HIM...



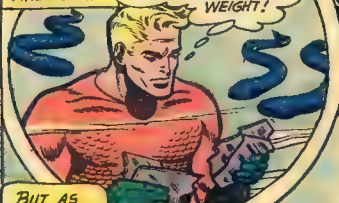
GASP! THIS SAFE ISN'T HOLLOW INSIDE! IT'S A SOLID BLOCK OF STONE, PAINTED GREY LIKE LEAD, WITH FAKE HANDLES AND FAKE COMBINATION DIALS TO RESEMBLE A SAFE!

SO ROXROYD TOLD THE TRUTH DURING THE LIE DETECTOR TEST WHEN HE SAID THERE WAS **NOTHING** INSIDE HIS "SAFE"! BUT MAYBE HE HAD **ANOTHER** USE FOR IT! I'LL SEND SOME EELS TO EXPLORE THE OOZE **BENEATH** THE HUGE STONE!



SHORTLY AFTER, AS AQUAMAN'S EELS COMMUNICATE WITH THEIR MASTER AND DELIVER SOME FINDINGS...

PART OF A LEAD PLATE! THE EELS REPORT THERE'S A PILE OF PLATES SUNK INTO THE OOZE! BUT THEY'RE BEYOND RECOVERY, DUE TO THE ROCK'S ENORMOUS WEIGHT!



BUT AS AQUAMAN HEADS FOR ROXROYD'S ISLAND...

WELL! IF IT ISN'T AQUAMAN! I SAW THOSE TWO ROGUES SNOOPING AROUND, AS I EXPECTED! I GUESS THEY TOLD YOU ALL ABOUT MY COUNTERFEITING RACKET!

SO THAT'S IT! YOU'RE A COUNTERFEITER!



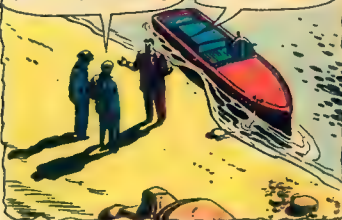
"CORRECT! I MADE A FORTUNE PRINTING COUNTERFEIT MONEY! BUT TO HIDE ALL EVIDENCE OF MY CRIMES, I DUMPED MY COUNTERFEITING PRESSES AND PLATES INTO THE OCEAN, NEVER DREAMING THAT THE TWO OWNERS OF THE SHIP I HAD CHARTERED WERE **BLACKMAILERS**!"



"SURE ENOUGH, WITHIN A FEW DAYS, THE BLACKMAILERS CONTACTED ME!"

WE'LL DREDGE UP THAT EVIDENCE, ROXROYD, AND TURN IT OVER TO THE POLICE UNLESS YOU GIVE US \$100,000!

OKAY, BOYS, YOU'VE GOT ME! GIVE ME A FEW DAYS TO RAISE THE MONEY!



THE REST YOU KNOW! HOW THE BLACKMAILERS RETURNED AND FIGURED I HID THE STUFF **INSIDE** THE SUPER-SAFE! BUT THEY, YOU AND I **NOW** KNOW THE EVIDENCE IS BEYOND RECOVERY! THAT SAFE IS SO HEAVY NO ONE CAN EVER LIFT IT TO PROVE MY GUILT!

YOU FORGET MY **SEA CREATURES!** STICK AROUND, ROXROYD!



SHORTLY, AS ROXROYD MAKES A FULL CONFESSION TO THE U.S. COAST GUARD OVER HIS RADIO...

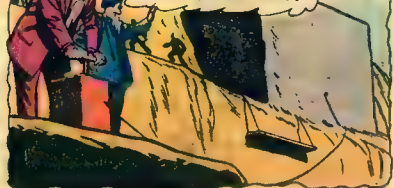
THAT'S RIGHT, CAPTAIN! THOSE ARE THE NAMES OF THE TWO BLACKMAILERS! I-I HOPE MY CONFESSION WILL RESULT IN A SHORTER PRISON TERM FOR ME!

OKAY, ROXROYD! NOW LOOK AT WHAT YOU CONFESSED TO!



"I USED THE FEW DAYS TO BLAST A BLOCK OF SOLID STONE OUT OF THE CLIFF WALL..."

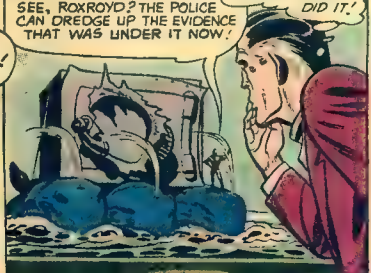
I'LL COAT THE HUGE STONE WITH LEAD AND PUT FAKE LOCKS ON IT! THEN I'LL SUMMON **AQUAMAN** TO TRANSPORT THE...ER... "SAFE"... TO THE EXACT SPOT WHERE I DUMPED THE PLATES AND PRESSES!



MANY HOURS LATER, AS ROXROYD GETS A SHOCKING SURPRISE...

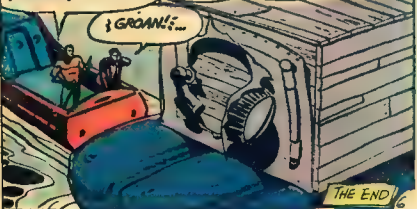
I-IT'S IMPOSSIBLE! GASP! ONE HUNDRED MOBY DICKS COULDN'T LIFT THAT HUGE WEIGHT FROM THE BOTTOM! YET **AQUA-MAN'S** WHALES DID IT!

SEE, ROXROYD? THE POLICE CAN DREDGE UP THE EVIDENCE THAT WAS UNDER IT NOW!



AS **AQUAMAN** ESCORTS ROXROYD TO THE FLOATING "SUPER-SAFE"...

NATURALLY MY WHALES **COULDN'T** RAISE THAT ENORMOUS WEIGHT! MY "SAFE" IS MADE OF **GREY WOOD** TAKEN FROM UNDERSEA WRECKS! WE PUT YOUR FAKE DOOR ON IT AND PRESTO!...A **PHONEY SUPER-SAFE** TO CATCH A MAKER OF **PHONEY MONEY**!



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Dear Editor:

Why don't you make up a story about KRYPTO when he was a puppy? Would you please.

Karen Tobin, St. Louis, Mo.

(We think a story about Superdog's infant days would be cute, and we're passing the idea on to our writers.—Ed.)

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Dear Editor:

Ever since I've followed the adventures of SUPERBOY I've been wondering how his parents fashioned his super-suit out of the blankets in which he was wrapped when he landed on Earth inside the rocket. The blanket was made of indestructible cloth—so how could Ma Kent have sewn it and cut it?

Randy Schwartz, Knoxville, Tenn.

(An early issue of SUPERBOY COMICS will feature the untold tale of SUPERBOY'S suit—and also how he got his cape, belt and boots.—Ed.)

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Dear Editor:

In the recent story, "Lois Lane Meets Lana Lang", how could Lana move the heavy boulder to cover the entrance of the cave?

George A. Kestler, Bronx, N. Y.

(Why Lana simply rolled it down an incline.—Ed.)

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Dear Editor:

In the story, "AQUAMAN Duels the Animal-Master," the villain, Gustave, wears the same shirt for an entire year. And, at the end of the story, there is a scene wherein "flying fish" bring Gustave to prison. How can the "flying fish" stay in the air long enough to get him transported that far?

P. Joyce, N. Tarrytown, New York

(We'd say that was a "flying fish" story.—Ed.)

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Dear Editor:

When Clark Kent wishes to change to SUPERBOY, he simply ducks into a deserted alley and strips off his outer clothes, revealing his action costume underneath. Do GREEN ARROW and SPEEDY carry their clothes underneath their civilian clothes?

Emily Klerakoper, Artesia, New Mexico

(Of course. It's the most convenient way to make a switch.—Ed.)

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Dear Editor:

A few issues ago a reader wrote in requesting that you introduce an "AQUA-GIRL" in an Aquaman story? You promised to do so? When do you keep your promise?

Lisa Slattery, Philadelphia, Pa.

(We always keep our word. You'll meet "Aqua-Girl" in the next issue of ADVENTURE COMICS. In the meanwhile, try SUPERGIRL, who is featured in the current issue of ACTION COMICS.—Ed.)

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Dear Editor:

In a recent Green Arrow story, "The Curse of the Wizard's Arrow", I think you committed a boner. You picture Speedy saying to the G.A.: "We forgot to turn the clock back for Daylight Savings time." But for Daylight Savings time, the clocks are put ahead!

Terry Fitzsimons, Chicago Ridge, Ill.

(Yes—this was an out-and-out goof. Our thanks to readers Bob Robinson, of Broderick, Calif. and Ron Marzewski of Phila., Pa., who reported the same error.—Ed.)

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Dear Editor:

Could you please tell me what the "Arrow Signal" is? I've seen it used in several stories, but don't exactly understand how it works?

Ken Lizotte, Marlboro, Mass.

(The "Arrow Signal" is a green flare, fired by the police into the air to summon the battling bowmen to the scene of a crime. Of course, the GA and Speedy also carry these signals in their quivers to use in case of an emergency.—Ed.)

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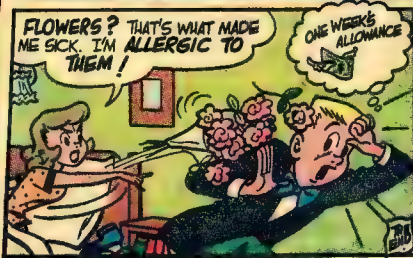
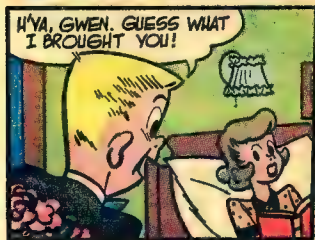
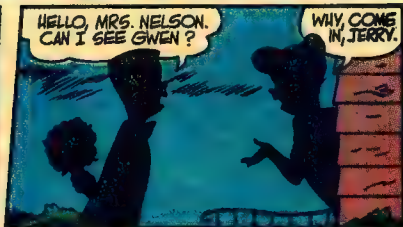
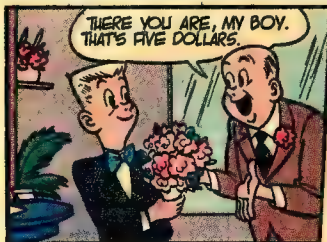
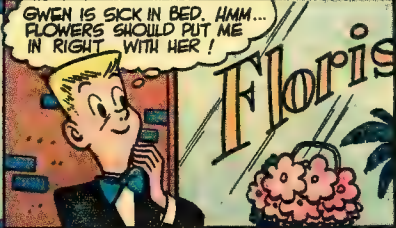
Why is it that in some stories Mr. and Mrs. Kent own the general store in Smallville? In other stories, they own a farm. Which is correct?

Ben Roth, Worcester, Mass.

(Both. When the Kents first adopted Clark, they were farmers. As he grew older, they sold their farm and opened up a general store.—Ed.)

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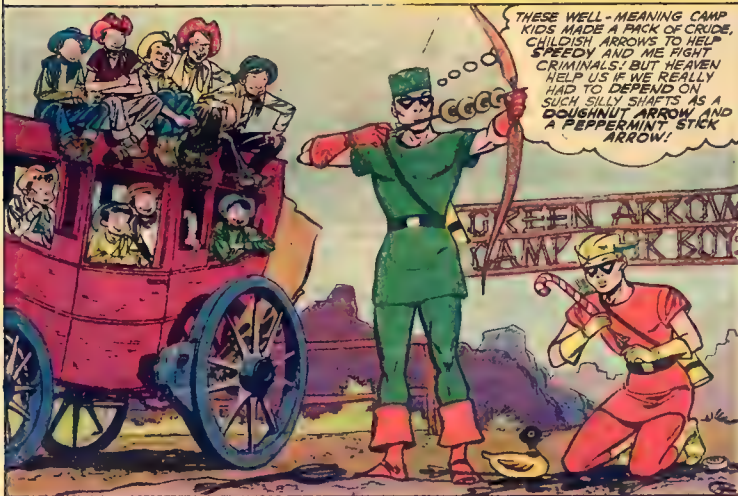
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MUCH OF GREEN ARROW'S SUCCESS AGAINST LAW-BREAKERS DEPENDS ON THE INGENUITY AND VARIETY OF HIS TRICK ARROWS! BUT WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF THE ARROWS THE EMERALD ARCHER NEEDS IN AN EMERGENCY SUDDENLY TURN OUT TO BE SILLY AND WORTHLESS? HOW COULD HE SHOOT HIS WAY OUT OF A PERILOUS TRAP IF ALL HE CAN USE IN SELF-DEFENSE ARE...

THE AMATEUR ARROWS!



ONE DAY OUT WEST, AS GREEN ARROW AND SPEEDY ARRIVE AT THE GREEN ARROW CAMP FOR BOYS...

NOWDY, GREEN ARROW! THE CAMP KIDS ARE SO EXCITED ABOUT YOUR VISIT HERE TODAY, THEY AIN'T SLEPT ALL NIGHT!

BLESS THEIR HEARTS! WE WON'T KEEP THEM ANY LONGER!



IT'S A GREAT THING YOU'RE DOIN', G.A., GIVIN' ALL YOUR REWARD MONEY AN' SUCH TO CAMPS FOR UNDER-PRIVILEGED BOYS!

THAT'S WHAT MONEY IS FOR, HANK!... MAKING PEOPLE HAPPY! ALL KIDS--RICH OR POOR-- SHOULD HAVE A CHANCE TO ENJOY THE GREAT OUTDOORS!



AS THE ARROW CAR ENTERS THE CORRAL, AN ENTHUSIASTIC ROAR OF WELCOME GREETS ITS OCCUPANTS!

MURRAY FOR GREEN ARROW!

WELCOME, GREEN ARROW!

THREE CHEERS FOR GREEN ARROW AND SPEEDY!

LOOK AT THAT HUGE EFFIGY OF YOU THE KIDS BUILT! THEY SURE IDOLIZE YOU, GREEN ARROW!



SHORTLY, AFTER GREEN ARROW THANKS THE YOUNG CAMPERS FOR THEIR WARM RECEPTION...

AN' NOW, GREEN ARROW, HERE'S THE MOST FITTIN' GIFT THE CAMPERS COULD THINK OF GIVIN' YOU! SPECIAL ARROWS THEY INVENTED TO HELP YOU FIGHT CRIME!

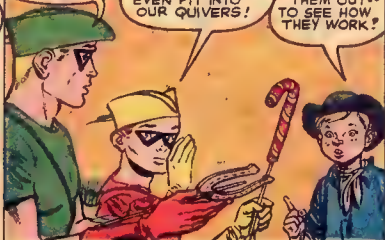
EACH OF US BOYS MADE HIS OWN ARROW DURING THE ARTS AND CRAFTS PERIOD!



ER... THANKS! THANKS A LOT, BOYS! UH... THEY'RE JUST WHAT I NEED!

ARE YOU KIDDING, GREEN ARROW? LOOK HOW CRUDELY CONSTRUCTED THEY ARE! HALF OF THEM WON'T EVEN FIT INTO OUR QUIVERS!

GOSH, GREEN ARROW! AREN'T YOU GOING TO TRY THEM OUT-- TO SEE HOW THEY WORK?

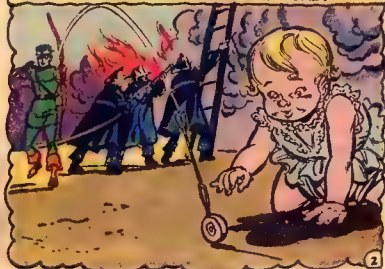


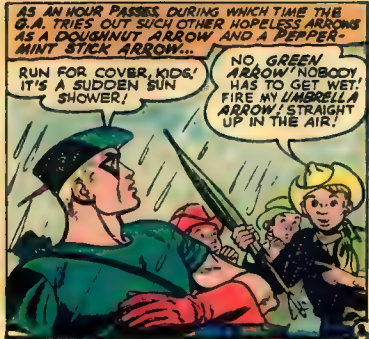
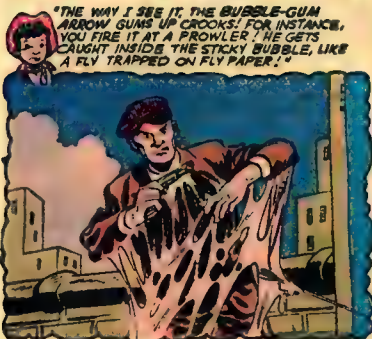
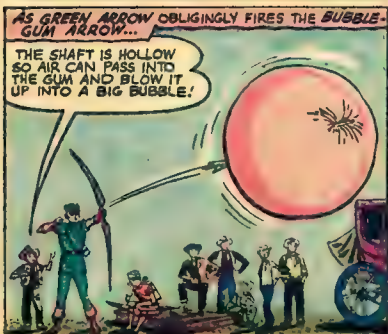
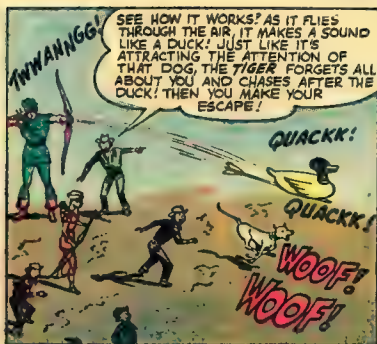
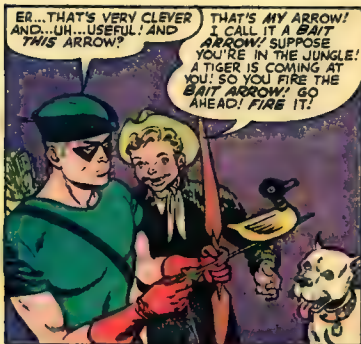
OH, SURE! SURE! ER... THIS ARROW! WHAT DOES IT DO?

IT'S A BABY-ARROW! I FIGURED SOMETIME YOU MIGHT BE AT THE SCENE OF AN EXPLOSION OR A FIRE WHERE EVERYBODY GETS FRIGHTENED, ESPECIALLY BABIES.

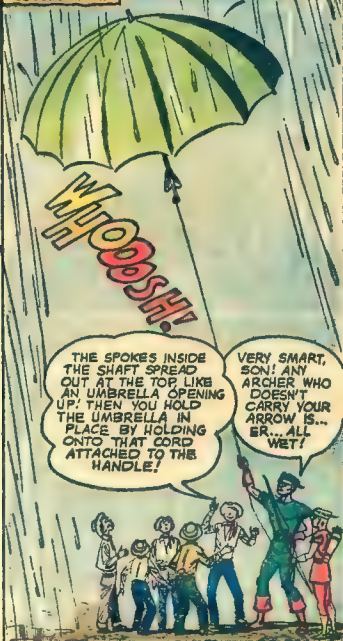


"SO WHEN YOU SEE A FRIGHTENED BABY, YOU JUST FIRE MY BABY-RATTLE ARROW! IT HITS THE GROUND WHERE THE BABY CAN REACH OUT FOR IT! THE BABY PLAYS WITH IT AND HE ISN'T SCARED ANY MORE!"

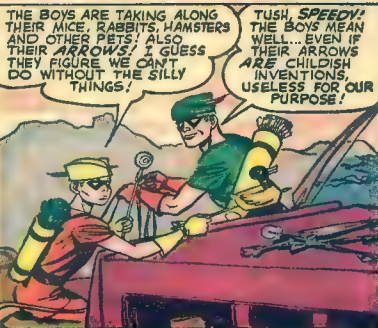
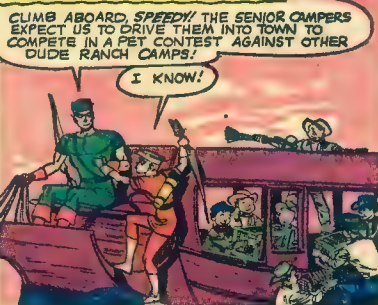




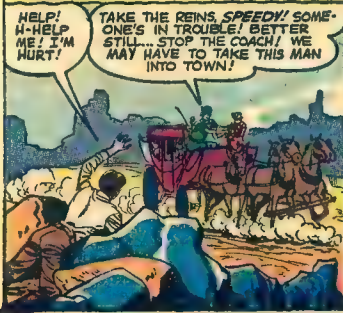
AS GREEN ARROW FOLLOWS THE BOYS' SUGGESTION...



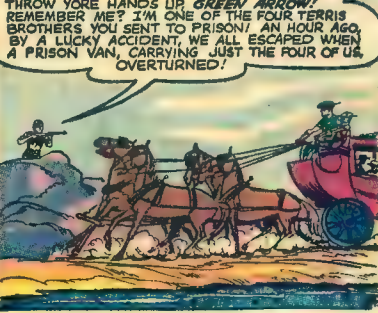
LATER, AS THE SHOWER STOPS AND THE SENIOR KIDS PILE INTO THE CAMP STAGECOACH...



TEN MINUTES LATER, AS THE STAGECOACH RUMBLES ALONG A BADLANDS ROAD...

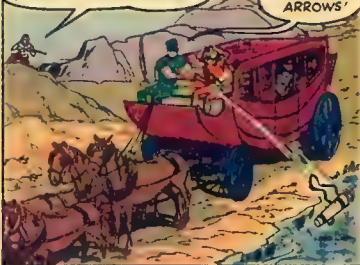


BUT AS THE COACH STOPS...



WE REMEMBERED ONCE HIDIN' SOME RIFLES NEAR HERE! SO WE DUG 'EM UP AN' THEN SCATTERED... EACH MAN FOR HIMSELF! NOW FOLLOW ORDERS! THROW YOUR QUIVERS IN THE WATER!

DO AS HE SAYS, **SPEEDY!** WE CAN ALWAYS MAKE NEW ARROWS!



THEN, AS THE YOUNGSTERS FRIGHTENEDLY PILE OUT OF THE STAGECOACH...

AN IDEA JUST HIT ME! I WONDER IF THAT **BABY-RATTLE ARROW** ONE OF THE KIDS MADE COULDN'T DO SOME GOOD! HMM... WE'LL SOON FIND OUT!



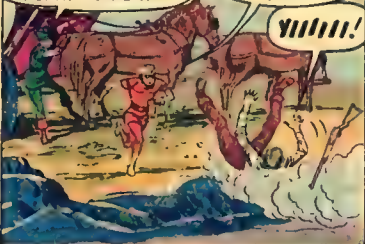
IN ONE SWIFT MOTION, THE **BABY-RATTLE ARROW** IS NOTCHED AND FIRED!

3 GASP! THE SOUND OF A RATTLESNAKE! R-RIGHT NEAR ME! IT'S GETTIN' READY TO STRIKE! I...



QUICK, **SPEEDY!** IN HIS FEAR OF GETTING BITTEN BY A RATTLESNAKE, THAT OUTLAW STUMBLED AND TRIPPED DOWN THE INCLINE! GRAB HIM!

OKAY! BUT I-I'M STILL SHOCKED! THAT KID'S SILLY **BABY-RATTLE ARROW** HELPED US!

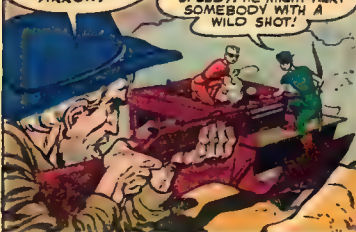


BUT AS THE INJURED MAN IS TAKEN ABOARD THE STAGECOACH...

HOLD IT! STOP TYIN' UP MY BROTHER... AN GIT OFF THAT COACH! I AIN'T KIDDIN' **GREEN ARROW!**

IT'S **ED TERRIS**, THE SECOND OLDEST BROTHER!

BETTER LISTEN TO HIM, **SPEEDY!** HE MIGHT HURT SOMEBODY WITH A WILD SHOT!

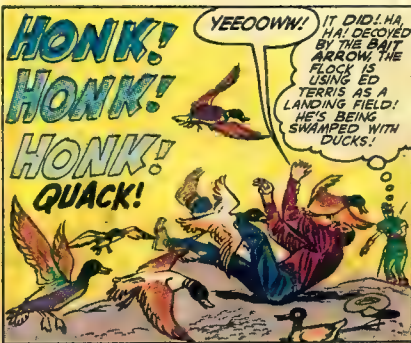


BUT AS **SPEEDY** CROSSES IN FRONT OF **GREEN ARROW** TO DESCEND...

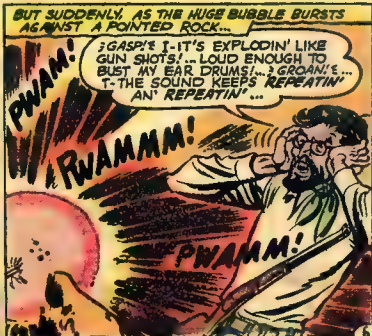
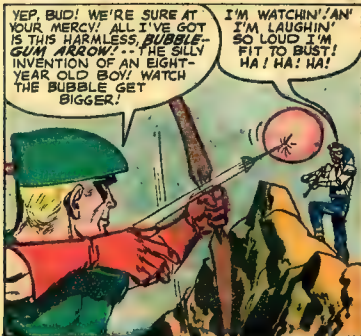
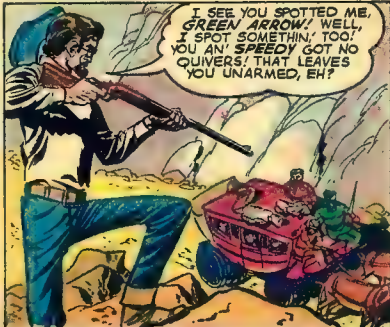
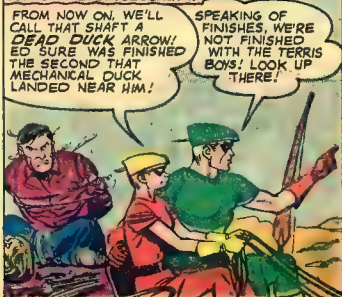
FOR TWO SECONDS, **SPEEDY'S** BODY WILL SCREEN MY MOVEMENTS! ENOUGH TIME FOR ME TO FIRE A **BAIT ARROW!**



SECONDS LATER, AS THE "DUCK" ARROW FLIES PAST AN AMAZED DESPERADO...

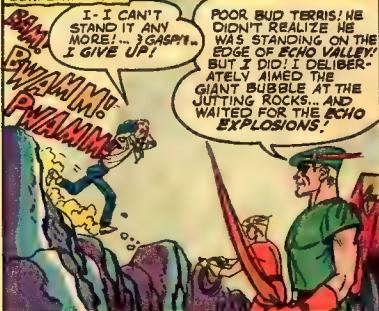


PRESENTLY, AS ED JOINS HIS EVIL BROTHER ON TOP OF THE STAGECOACH...

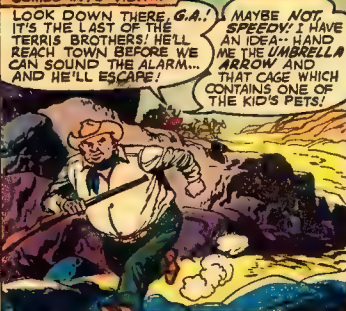




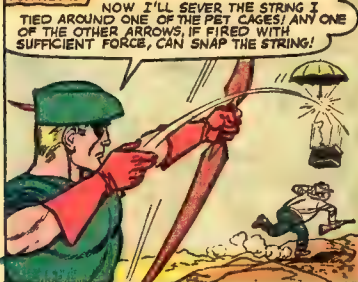
AS THE ECHOES OF THE BURST BUBBLE MULTIPLY DEAFENINGLY...



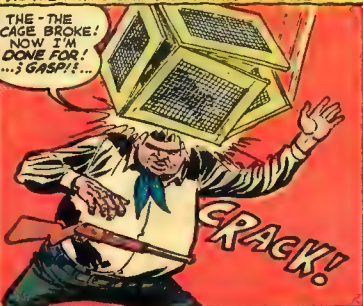
LATER, AS GREEN ARROW'S DESTINATION COMES INTO VIEW...



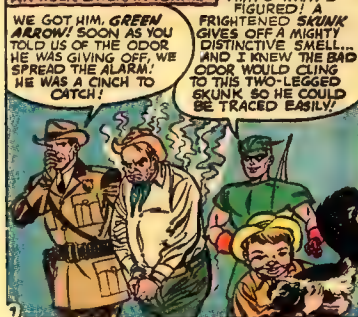
PRESENTLY, AS GREEN ARROW WAITS FOR THE UMBRELLA ARROW TO DRIFT TOWARD THE ESCAPING CONVICT...



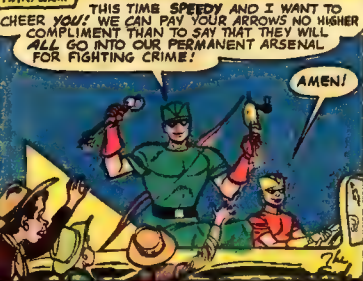
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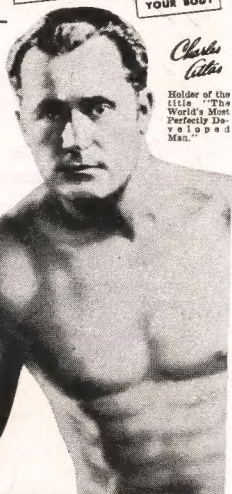
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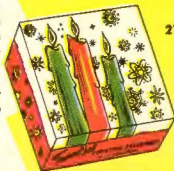
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